



## LETTER of RECOGNITION

**Steven Kunes**

*Center Stage Theater's 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration  
"Hopeless Romantic"*

**June 16, 2010**

*WHEREAS, the Center Stage Theater acknowledges community members who show great leadership in aiding the community, as well as promoting the arts in Santa Barbara; and*

*WHEREAS, Steven Kunes is a local and exemplary member of the literary community; his outstanding talent has gained him recognition throughout the entire world. His writing on a wide variety of films and television shows has earned him prestigious awards from almost every entertainment industry-governing organization, both in the United States and abroad; and*

*WHEREAS, Steven Kunes has always participated in and has supported the arts, working in the motion picture industry for the past three decades. He has demonstrated enormous talent in the areas of both comedy and drama; and*

*WHEREAS, as an active collaborator with several local non-profit organizations, Steven Kunes exudes remarkable qualities of true citizenship. His work with such local non-profits as Families ACT!, the Boys & Girls Club Writing Program, the Channel Islands National Marine Sanctuary, and the Santa Barbara International Film Festival serves as an outstanding example for all of those in the Santa Barbara community.*

*NOW, THEREFORE, I, Helene Schneider, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Santa Barbara, California, do hereby honor and recognize Steven Kunes for imparting his vision, steady leadership and dedication to our community.*

*IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Official Seal of the City of Santa Barbara, California, to be affixed to this on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2010.*

**Helene Schneider  
Mayor**

